

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ANTHONY BAGGETT,
Plaintiff,

v.

DIVISION OF ADULT PAROLE
CORRECTIONS AND
REHABILITATION, MERCED, CA,
Defendant.

No. 2:24-cv-2107 SCR (PC)

ORDER

Plaintiff, who is confined in Atascadero State Hospital, filed a civil rights action pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983, together with a request to proceed in forma pauperis. In his complaint, plaintiff alleges violations of his civil rights by defendants. The alleged violations took place in Merced County, which is part of the Fresno Division of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California. See Local Rule 120(d).

Pursuant to Local Rule 120(f), a civil action which has not been commenced in the proper division of a court may, on the court's own motion, be transferred to the proper division of the court. Therefore, this action will be transferred to the Fresno Division of the court. In light of the potentially consequential screening process required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915, this court will not rule on plaintiff's request to proceed in forma pauperis.

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Good cause appearing, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED as follows:

1. This court has not ruled on plaintiff's request to proceed in forma pauperis (ECF No. 2);
2. This action is transferred to the Fresno Division of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California; and
3. All future filings shall reference the new Fresno case number assigned and shall be filed at:

United States District Court
Eastern District of California
2500 Tulare Street
Fresno, CA 93721

DATED: August 19, 2024



SEAN C. RIORDAN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE